The Asheboro Courier.

Local and Personal.

Supt J M Way is in Troy this ek.

Mr B M Williams, of Hemp, was re Monday.

J A Spence, Esq., spent Saturday Greensboro.

Miss Ella Hendricks spent Sun- y at home.

Mr F C Loflin spent last Friday Lexington on business.

Miss May McAlister left Tuesday a visit in Charlotte.

Miss Fay Burns is visiting her other Capt A E Burns.

Miss Mary Lindasy, of Greensboro, visiting Miss Bertha Coffin.

Miss Bess Coffin spent a few days Randleman with Miss Mary Fer- this week.

Mr M F Vuncannon, of Star, was town Monday returning from gh Point.

Messrs Jas McAlister, of Spray, l Ed Williamson, of Worthville, e here one day last week.

Misses Daisy and Walter Page re- ned to their home near Burling- yesterday.

Misses Edna Hill and Anna Ham- of Central Falls, spent Sunday Asheboro.

Dr Henley went to see his daugh- Miss Sallie, who has typhoid er.

Mr J W Cox and son, Junius Cox, Staley, were among those who e in Asheboro last Saturday.

Mr J T Wood and family have ved into their new residence on nset Ave.

Mrs Maxwell, nee Mrs Della ver, of High Point, is very sick h appendicitis at her home in gh Point.

N Allen, of Queen, Montgomery nty, was in Asheboro Tuesday qualified as administrator on the te of J A Spencer, deceased.

Mr J S Lewis was here Monday king arrangements to erect a dsome residence in west Ashe- o.

Mr R L Deaton has purchased of Miller the Anthur Ross resi- ce on Salisbury street paying 0 therefor.

Mrs Agnes Barker, who has been ting her parents here, Mr and C H Rush, for several weeks, rned to her home at Chase City, , yesterday.

Cards are out announcing the rriage of Mr B Frank Page, of ensboro, and Miss Bertha Coffin, this place, February 8th.

Mr C W Fields and family, of max, spent Tuesday night in heboro returning from a visit to Fields' father, Mr Franklin Au- n, in Union township.

The Ladies' Aid Societies of St. l and Naomi M. E. Churches e united, and at a recent meet- elected the following officers:

esident—Mrs. T O Bowdon.

Vice-President—Miss Tinsley.

Vice-President—Mrs. J R Ferree.

Treasurer—Mrs. Dr. Sumner.

cretary—Mrs. S Bryant.—Randle- n Times.

Since the consolidation of the gh Point Fire Insurance Company th the Atlanta-Birmingham Com- ny, Mr Jos Smith, the former nager of the local company, has tered the field again and the style the new company is Jones, Carr, nith & Co.'s consolidation of O Carr & Co. and W C Jones & Co., e insurance companies of this ace with Mr Smith as a partner. ll are experienced insurance men d have a large patronage.—Greens- ro Telegram.

The Randolph Creamery, on last riday, turned out more than three ousand three hundred pounds of utter, and the capacity of the cream- y must be still greater than this, r the company's complaint is that e supply of milk is rather short; ut Mr. J A Dean, the manager, lls us that the milk supply is creasing as the weeks go by. The verage butter product of the cream- y is over one thousand one hundred ounds a day. That is a pretty good usiness, and it is not quite yet de- eloped. Hurrah for Randleman nd progress.—Randleman Times.

The Thomasville correspondent of he Charlotte Observer says that the andsome new brick block built by T J Finch & Bros., on Salem street n Thomasville, has been completed nd is ready for occupancy. The four large store-rooms on the first floor will afford ample room for busi- ness, and already Mr C L Harris has moved into one of them, with his up- to-date grocery stock. The Myers- Green undertaking and furniture business has moved into another one. Soon all will be occupied. The basement to this building will be used for barber shops. The up- per story will be used for offices, etc.

Miss Lela Moffitt visited in Greens- boro last week.

Miss Mary Ferree, of Randleman, visited Miss Ida Morris last week.

Miss Bertha Coffin has returned from a visit to Greensboro.

Mr J G Miller is having three houses erected in the northern part of town for rent.

Representative Wood spent Sun- day in Asheboro, returning to Ral- eigh Monday morning.

Mrs A A Spencer is visiting her daughter, Miss Lizzie Spencer, in High Point.

Clerk Hammond visited his parents at Archdale Saturday and Sunday, returning to Asheboro Mon- day morning.

Little Mabel Spoon had the mis- fortune of breaking her collar bone at school one day last week while playing "pop the whip."

There were services in four churches in Asheboro Sunday night, and good sized congregations were present at each service, too.

Mrs Smith, nee Miss Emma Ham- mond, of Sanford, spent a day or so here last week with her brother, Mr W C Hammond.

Just as we go to press we learn that the Academy at Ether was des- troyed by fire yesterday afternoon. The fire was caused by a defective flue.

A C Brower & Co., of Staley, offer their entire stock of merchandise for sale. Also store house, warehouse, etc. A good stock of goods and a splendid stand. A fine opportunity for anyone wanting to sell goods at Staley.

Mr. E A Snow and Prof. S L Davis left Sunday for Havana. They will arrive at Tampa tonight and it is probable that they will catch the boat that will land them in Havana Tuesday afternoon.—Hige Point Enterprize.

Mr. Elijah Needham, aged 72 years, died at the county home near Pittsboro last Friday. The remains were brought here Saturday and carried to Shiloh Church Randolph county, and interred in the graveyard there Sunday afternoon.—Saler City Grit.

In last week's issue of the Courier, we published a list of all the schools in the county together with the name of the teacher and post ad- dress. The list was furnished the Courier by Superintendent Way at our request.

Mr W T Corwith left here yester- day for Charlotte where he goes to engage in the real estate business. Mr Corwith has made a great many friends here who regret to see him leave.

Mr. Chas. A High, of the Pitts- burg Plate Glass Co., arrived in the city Wednesday and is at the Elwood. Mr. High succeeds the late Major Tucker and will have charge of the business of the company in the South.—High Point Enterprise.

The Christian Endeavor Society had a very interesting meeting on Tuesday night. The regular Tem- perance program was carried out. Miss Annie Tomlinson led the meet- ing and all the ministers of the town participated as well as nearly every member of the society.

Dr. J H Boyles, of Greensboro, is in the city, standing an examination before the civil service board for a position as physician in the Isthmian Canal Service. Should he pass successfully his name will be placed on the eligible list for appointment as a prescribing physician in the government service in Panama.—Greensboro Telegram.

The Book Club met Friday after- noon with Mrs Thomas H Redding who is a charming hostess and enter- tained the club in a very clever way having arranged questions, whose answers were the surnames of the members of the club. After Canada, the subject for the afternoon had been discussed and the questions had been answered, delicious refresh- ments consisting of (Brannon's Char- lotte) ice cream and cake were served.

Mr C E Blair, who was born in Asheboro and was for many years engaged in the newspaper business has purchased the Daily American at El Reno, Oklahoma. Mr Blair will change the daily to a weekly. The Courier has received a copy of the paper and it is a neat attractive paper of six columns and eight pages. Mr Blair is a practical printer and a practical newspaper man of exper-ience, a young man who stands well and has a talent for his business.

Farm and Fireside, the great semi- monthly farm and home paper had another beautiful illustrated supple- ment in colors entitled, "The Black smith's Dilemma," painted by a great artist. The Courier, the Farm and Fireside and Southern Agriculturist, also one of the best and most help- ful farm papers published—all three for one dollar in advance. Old sub- scribers to Courier paying up and paying one full year in advance will get all these papers one year provided advantage is taken of this offer by February 10th.

Farmers' Mutual.

At a meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Randolph county held last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: C R Cox, presi- dent; T J Redding, vice-president; D M Holladay, secretary and treasur- er; W J Teague, county agent. The company is said to be in good condi- tion.

FATAL WRECK ON A. & A.

Rev. G. A. Oglesby Killed and Six Others Injured.

The passenger coach and one freight car on the train from Mt Gilead to Biscoe Tuesday of this week at Troy ran off the track and turned over and injured seven of the nine passengers. The train was going slowly round a curve near the Troy station. Dr Ingram, of Mt Gilead, jumped from the car and was not injured. John Walker, a saw mill man formerly of Randolph county, held to a seat and was not injured.

The injured were:

Rev G A Oglesby bruised on head and received internal injuries from which he died four hours afterwards.

D H Cook, an old man, back bone broken and injury to spinal column from which it is thought he will die.

W C Ballard, broken shoulder joint.

W D Dunn, flesh wounds head and face.

John Oglesby, son of Rev G A Oglesby, flesh wounds head and face.

W S Ingram, flesh wounds head and face.

All the injured are at Hotel Uwharrie, except W S Ingram, who was able to go to his home at Mt Gilead Tuesday afternoon. All are badly bruised and injured but none considered seriously except Mr Cook.

The blood flowed from Rev Mr Oglesby's mouth and ears before he died. Just before dying he request- ed that Henry Page be the guardian of his children.

Asheboro Copper Mine.

The Asheboro Copper Mining Company has installed a new steam drill and is getting out ore at a rapid rate. Car loads of ore are being shipped to the smelter at Norfolk each week. A limited amount of stock can be had during the balance of this month at 50c on the $1.00. Those desiring to invest in this promising enterprise would do well to buy stock while it remains at this low figure.

Important Notice!

The town taxes have been due for several months and must be collect- ed at once. In order to accommo- date those desiring to pay, I will at- tend at the court house from 8 until 12 a. m. and at W J Miller's store from 1 to 6 p. m. on next Saturday the 28th. I will begin levying in a few days, so meet me at the above times and places and save costs and trouble.

H. D. CAUDLE,
Town Tax Collector.

Small Pox at New Salem.

Dr S A Henley informs us that there are two cases of small pox at New Salem, this county. The cases are both in the family of J V Cau- dle, a brick mason, and are confined to two children.

Mr Caudle had been at work in Georgia for some time and only a few weeks ago returned home. It is supposed the disease was conveyed to his children by means of his cloth- ing. The disease is of a light form and there is no danger of its spread- ing.

Free Scholarships.

Trinity High School offers a free scholarship to young ladies preparing to teach in the public schools of Randolph county. This offer is open to those who are now teaching and to those who have not taught, but have completed the public school course; and will afford free tuition for three years. Scholarship may commence with present term or fall term of 1905.

For further information apply to J M Way, County Supt of Schools, Asheboro, N. C.

Mr. McAlister Re-Elected.

The annual meetings of the Greensboro Fire Insurance Compan- ies were held in this city yesterday. The reports of officers showed the affairs of the four companies to be in excellent condition. The sum of $35,592.56 was shown to have been added to their combined surplus and $10,021.49 to their combined reserves This makes the total surplus $117,- 367.57; the total reserves $115,734.- 57. Mr B D Heath, of Charlotte, reelected president of the Southern Stock Mutual Insurance Company, Mr J Van Lindley, of Pomona, presi- dent of the Underwriters of Greens- boro; Mr R L Holt, of Burlington, president of the Home Insurance Company of Greensboro; and Mr D A Tompkins, of Charlotte, president of the Southern Underwriters. Mr A W McAlister, to whose remarkable business sagacity and extensive in- surance knowledge the success of the companies is largely due, was re- elected secretary, treasurer and manager of all the companies.—Greensboro Telegram.

Died.

At her home in Archdale Jany 19th, Mrs Dorcas Hemphill, at the advanced age of 92 years.

Jay Hugh Williams aged about 21 years of yellow Jaundice at the home of his father Mr. Thos Wil- liams in Union township on Jan. 12th, 1905.

Mrs Elisabeth Burton near High Point Jan 15th aged 86 years. The Enterprise says:

Mrs Burton was the mother of nine children, all of whom were married and had families. Four of these children survive her: Dr J W Burton, J A Burton, Mrs Joseph Welborn and Mrs Calvin Peace. She had been married about 62 years. Mrs Burton was a very devout wo- man and was a member of the Metho- dist Protestant church for 37 years. The large number of relatives and numerous friends will miss her very much.

Mr C C Hargrave, of Lexington, the popular representative of the Babcock Buggy Co., was in town last Friday.

Ayer's

Falling hair means weak hair. Then strengthen your hair; feed it with the only hair food, Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, makes the hair

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grow, completely cures dandruff. And it always restores color to gray hair, all the rich, dark color of early life.

"My hair was falling out badly and I was afraid I would lose it all. Then I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor. It soon stopped the falling and made my hair all I could wish it to be."
REBECCA E. ALLEN, Elizabeth, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for

Falling Hair

Teachers' Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Teachers' Association which was held in the graded school building last Saturday was attended by a larger number of teachers than had been present at any previous meet- ing within the past twelve months. The discussions were entered into with more spirit than usual and healthful signs of increasing interest in the association were manifest in all phases of the work.

From most of the schools of the county came encouraging reports, larger attendance, better school houses, more interest among pupils and parents, greater efforts put forth by the local committees, all of which bear evidence to the upward move- ment in the educational field. Such signs are prophetic of still better things to come and they should be hailed with gratitude by educators and all who feel any interest in edu- cational work.

We believe the Teachers' Associa- tion is helping in a measure to bring about these changes and we believe, too, that it can help all teachers to become more efficient and thus en- enable them to accomplish still bet- ter things. The County Board of Education recognizes this fact too, and has made a rule requiring all teachers in the public schools of the county to attend these meetings—a good requirement too.

The next meeting will be held in Randleman March 11th. The pro- gram for that meeting will be:

1. "The Necessity for Organized Co-operation among the Teachers."
2. "The Future of the Dead Head in the Educational Profes- sion."
3. An open discussion of any points that may be suggested in the meeting.
4. Business Meeting.

Let every teacher in the county be present to help and be helped.

Randleman Items.

The oyster supper given by the Ladies' Aid Society of St Paul and Naomi church, on the night of the 21st inst., proved to be a great suc- cess. The funds will be applied to the furnishing the parsonage.

John Hall, of this place, who re- cently went to Johns Hopkins Hos- pital, Baltimore, Md., to have an operation performed on his leg, re- turned home a few days ago. From present indications, he will be en- tirely cured.

Mr Robt P Dicks, of Greensboro, who is connected with the Hunter Mfg & Commission Co., left for New York on Friday, where he will be located with the same concern, having been recently promoted.

Mr William Davis, formerly of Randleman, now of High Point, was in town on Monday. He expects to locate here again in a short time.

Randleman is to have another new enterprise as soon as necessary arrangements can be completed. Particulars will be given in this cor- respondence when ready for publica- tion.

South Greensboro Items.

Mr Pink Tucker is all smiles—its a big boy.

Mrs W M Moser met with a pain- ful accident on Jany 13. While walking in the yard her foot slipped causing her to fall on a blank that held a rusty nail with its point up- ward which went in to her hip one and a quarter inches. She is resting very well now, but she will be un- able to walk for some time.

During the year 1904 Mrs John C Sharpe sold eleven hundred and forty-seven pounds of butter at 25 and 30 cts a pound, besides having enough to supply the table with eight in family.

Mr John Fruit, who has pneumo- nia, is getting some better.

Mrs Joe Gray, of Winston, is visiting at Dr J T Reives.

Dr J T Reives has built a store on Asheboro street near his residence.

Mr and Mrs C E Moser spent last Sunday at Reedy Fork visiting rela- tives.

Mr E H Henderson, of Julian, was a visitor at Mr Charlie Moser's Saturday night.

THE HOME OF VINOL

To People with Weak Lungs:—

You know that for centuries Cod Liver Oil has been considered the best medicine for throat and lung troubles, but its nauseating effect upon the stomach made it impossible for many to take it. Now-a- days Vinol accomplishes greater results, for while it is a Cod Liver Oil prepara- tion, it is entirely free from oil or grease, and therefore it is fast taking the place of old-fashioned Cod Liver Oil and Emulsions.—Respectfully,

Asheboro Drug Company.

Mt. Olivet Items.

January 17.—Our clever mail con- tractor, Mr Bird, is making good time this bad weather.

Mr Thomas Bird, from High Point, was down at his old home recently and erected tomb stones to his son, Claude's grave.

Mr D B Leach was out visiting his daughter, Mrs W M Moffitt, last week. Mr Leach's health is right good; the worst with him he can't see well.

We are pleased with our new pas- tor, Rev Mr Eads.

Mr Ezra Cox and family came down recently to visit relatives.

Mr Artemus Ward is the new post- master at Brower's Mill.

Mr T B Tyson celebrated his 69th birthday Sunday, the 15th. All his children and grandchildren were present.

Mrs Tempy Sugg, our dear mother, aged 91 years, attended preaching at Mt Olivet on the third Sunday.

Mr Duncan McRae, from Rich- mond county, visited at Mr M T Sugg's.

Every bottle warranted, but not one returned, is the report regarding Dr. Seth Arnold's Balsam (the best Summer Remedy) from a large num- ber of Druggists in the South. This Balsam is warranted to you by The Standard Drug Co.

Sophia News.

Jan 23.—Messrs Talmage Daniel and Thaddeus and Clarance Adams were in town yesterday.

Miss Mamie Dicks visited Miss Agnes Nance last Sunday.

Miss Effie Frazier, of Level Cross, visited her sister, Mrs Ed Swaim, last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Adams and Miss Eliza Daniels visited Miss Pearl Cham- ness' school last Friday.

Mr and Mrs Kanoy and Miss Tea- gue, of Providence, and Mr A O Adams and Miss Pearl Chamness visited at Mr Charles Swain's last Saturday night, and spent Sunday at Mr Q F Beckerdites'.

There will be preaching at Old Union next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr F O Johnson says he clears two dollars per day catching minks.

Messrs Will Adams and Soloman Adams took a trip down about Farmers one day last week and have not yet returned. They said they had gone to buy cattle, but the boys say Will went to hunt him a house- keeper.

Miss Lena Bulla spent the holi- days in Cincinnati, Ohio, visiting her sister, Miss Dora, returning home one day last week.

Messrs Lewis Fentriss and Tom Dicks, of High Point, spent last Sunday with friend near Sophia.

Mr Joe Coggins is going to mo to Davidson county where he goes to sell medicine.

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life away every day. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. No cure no pay. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Asheboro Drug Company.

In Memoriam.

"Blessed are the dead, which die in the Lord." Little Lacy, the eighteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Underwood, of Mt. Gilead, but formerly of Gray's Chapel, died Sunday, December 4th, 1904. On Tues- day little Lacy in his little white plush casket beneath many flowers was laid in the cemetery at Gray's Chapel to wait the coming of the resurrection day. The grief-stricken parents have our greatest sympathy and may they ever look into Jesus who is able to help those that will look unto Him. Christ said, "Suffer little children to come unto Me and forbid them not; for such is the Kingdom of Heaven." While Christ was here on earth his disciples came unto Him saying, who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven? And Jesus called a little child unto Him and set him in the midst of them and said, "Verily I say unto you, except ye be converted and be- come as little children, ye shall not enter the kingdom of heaven. Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven."

A FRIEND.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Salem Church Items.

The health of the community is very good at the present.

Mrs. M C Kearns had the misfortune to fall the other day and broke her leg.

Miss Anna Jackson daughter of Harris Jackson died last Wednesday and was buried at Salem Thursday.

Mr. Mack Walker has returned from the south where he has been selling guitars and silver ware.

Miss Lyde Lewis, of Farmer, spent several days last week visiting Miss Mary McMasters. Some of our young men are very uneasy for fear Miss is going to leave us.

The young people gave an enjoyable pound party at the home of Mr and Mrs H L Kearns Saturday night.

C H Steed & Co. are hauling logs preparatory to starting their mill soon.

FLOY BOY.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to return through the columns of the COURIER our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the good people of Ramseur for their kind acts and deeds shown to us during the sad- dest and serious affliction of our son who has been confined for the past two weeks at the hospitable home of Mrs. Callie Hatch.

MRS. MARYTTA DAVIS.

WANTED.—An intelligent young lady or gentleman to do light work. Salary $2.00 per day. Apply in person to Mr. W H Dow, at Central Hotel, Asheboro.

FARM FOR SALE.

A good 100 acre farm 1-4 mile from the railroad and within two miles of three cotton mills. Will sell cheap for cash or on the in- stallment plan. Quick buyer gets bargain.

W. B. WORTH,
Asheboro, N. C.

Real Estate For Sale!

Seven room dwelling with barn, grainery good well of water and two acres of land in the town of Staley. For further information apply to J. W. COX, Staley, N. C.

For Sale.

Good shingle outfit on Aberdeen & Rock- fish R. R., everything in good working or- der and going at a bargin to right man. A good location of longleaf pine with ... at once if interested to Box 35, ... N. C.

Stock for Sale.

Sealed bids are invited until noon February 6th, 1905 for the following stocks, viz:

One Share Bank of Randolph.
Fifteen Shares Bank of Ran- dolph.
One Share National Bank of High Point.
Fifteen Shares National Bank of High Point.
Ten Shares Star Lumber Mfg. Co.

Privilege reserved of rejecting all bids.

Mark envelope, "Bids for stock" and address A. C. Mc- Alister, Lock Box 161, Asheboro.

H. M. Worth,
A. W. McAlister,
J. S McAlister,
C. C. McAlister.
Executors of J. M. Worth, dec'd.

Large Store....
.....For Sale!

We offer for sale our entire stock of

General Merchandise,

Store House and Warerooms.

Liberal discounts to parties wishing to purchase in lump, or will sell the stock and lease the buildings. Apply to

A. C. BROWER & CO.,
Jany. 23, 1905. Staley, N. C.

DR. D. K. LOCKHART,
DENTIST,
Asheboro, N. C.

Office: OVER THE BANK. HOURS: 8 am to 1 pm, 2 pm to 5 pm

Will be out of town until May 15th, 1905, after that time can be found at office over the Bank of Randolph.

DR. F. A. HENLEY,
ASHEBORO, N. C.

Offices First Rooms Over the Bank of Randolph.

HAVE YOU INDIGESTION.

Boyd's Carbon--Albumen Tab- lets—Pure Carbon of Albumen—a positive cure for indigestion, dyspep- sia, constipation, headache or sour stomach from over eating or drink- ing—$50 if they don't. 25 cents a package.

If your druggist doesn's have them send direct to

BOYD CHEMICAL COMPANY,
708 Rand McNally Bldg.,
Chicago, Ill.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale granted by the su- perior Court of Randolph county in a special pro- ceeding therein pending, entitled A. F. Ward and others vs. Cintha Wilkerson and husband and others, I will sell to the highest bidder at public auction at the Court House door in Asheboro, N. C., on Saturday, February 4th, 1905, at 12 o'clock M., the following described lands, lying and be- ing in Liberty township, Randolph county, adj- oining the lands of Frances Jones and others and bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at a post oak on Aaron Jones' line, running thence west on said line 66 chs. 50 links to a fallen post oak, thence south 35 degs. east 11 chs. to a post oak, thence south 11 chs. on Cox's line to a post oak stump, thence south 15 degs. east 25 chs. 50 links to a fallen white oak, thence south 7 chs. to an ash on the north bank of Sandy Creek, thence north 80 degs east 6 chs. on the various courses of the creek to a beech, thence south 15 chs. 25 links to a pile of stone, thence east 14 chs. 50 links to a stake, thence east 34 chs. 50 links to a pile of stone, thence north 4 degs. east 10 chs. 50 links to a stone, thence west 30 chs. 67 links to a black gum, thence north 5 degs. east 12 chs. to a poplar stump, thence north 45 degs. east 4 chs. 92 links to an old fallen poplar on the bank of the creek, thence along north up the various courses of the creek 32 chs. 28 links to a black gum stump, thence west 7 chs. 91 links to a stake in the meadow, thence north 1 ch. to a stone, thence west 6 chs. 60 links to a white oak, thence north 10 chs. 60 links to the beginning, except about 23 acres heretofore deeded from said land by Eli Wood to O F Wood, leaving 103 acres more or less to the tract herein described.

Terms of sale, cash. ELIJAH MOFFITT,
This January 23rd, 1905. Comr.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of J A Spencer, deceased, all persons holding claims against said estate will pre- sent them to the undersigned duly verified on or before the 1st, day of Feby. 1906 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. And all persons owing said estate will make immediate settlement.

S. N. ALLEN, Admr.

F. MOFFITT, Atty.
This Jany. 24th, 1905.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Randolph county in a special pro- ceeding entitled A J Luck, Executor, Vs. Robert E Allred Et Al, I will sell at the court house door in Asheboro, N. C., at public auction to the highest bidder at 12 o'clock m. on Saturday the 25th, day of February 1905, the following described tract or lot of land located at Central Falls, Franklinville Township, county of Randolph, and bounded as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a post oak, school lot corner, running thence south 7 chs. and 75 lks. to a stone, thence east 3 chs. to a stone; thence north 9 chs. and 95 lks. to a stone in the bank of the public road; thence along the various courses of said road 3 chs. and 50 lks. to the beginning, containing 2 3-5 acres more or less, and known as the G H M Allred house and lot in the town of Central Falls, N. C. Terms of sale one third cash, balance on a credit of three months, purchaser to give ap- proved security for the deferred payment, and title reserved until the further order of the court.

A. J. LUCK, Commissioner.
This Jan. 28, 1905.

Big Midwinter Sale!

Beginning today and will continue until February 10th. unless goods are closed out before.

The winter is but half gone, hence you will find these goods just the things you wanting.

We must reduce stock before taking stock.

We shall include in this sale our entire line of nice Dress Goods, Silks, Outings, Percales, Prints, Laces, Edg- ings, Ladies' Collars, Lace Curtains, Paetier, Blankets, Quilts, Ladies' and Gent's Gloves and Underwear.

You will also find the same cut on many other things not mentioned. Come and examine and you will hardly believe pour eyes.

Following goods will be closed at precisely New York cost:

100 Ladies Hats from $1.00 to $2.00.
12 Beautiful Ladies Jackets, price $12.50 at $7.50.
12 Ladies Skirts, price $1.25 at 80c.
12 " " assorted $1.50 to $3.75.
100 Gents Shirts, price $1.00 at 78c.
50 " " " 50c. at 38c.
75 Suits Clothing, price $10.00 to $12.50 at $7.50.
Entire line Boy's and Men's Overcoats at Cost.

Come at once and get first choice. These prices are cash on delivery of goods.

WOOD & MORING.

Largest Commercial Schools in the Carolinas

King's Business College,

(INCORPORATED)

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THESE SCHOOLS GIVE the world's best in modern Business Education. Office Business College in North Carolina. Established and guaranteed, backed by a written contract. No vacation. Individual instruction. We also teach Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Penmanship, by mail. Send for Home Study rates. Write today for our Catalogue, Office and High Indorsements. They are free.

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Raleigh, N. C. or Charlotte, N. C.

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Wholesale and Retail

Reduction Sale!

FOR CASH ONLY.

Beginning Saturday, Jany. 7th, and Continuing Until Wednesday, Feby. 1st, 1905.

With a view to making a change in our business we are going to sell at **Greatly Reduced Prices** anything from our entire stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Millinery, Clothing, Ladies' Jackets and Skirts, Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Baby Carriages and Go-carts, Chairs, Rockers, Bed-room Suits, Mattresses, Dress-suit Cases, Trunks, Etc. In fact this reduction will apply to anything in our store except Groceries and the well-known Crossett Shoes, prices on which cannot be changed.

Don't forget the time. Reduction sale positive- ly will not last longer shan February 1, 1905.

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For the Next 30 Days!

Until February 16th, 1905, we will sell all our heavy rolled woolen goods, fascinators, hoods and and ready made skirts, also a lot of small numbers in ladies and misses shoes at greatly reduced prices for the pur- pose of taking stock and to make room for our spring goods. To be con- vinced come in and see for yourself.

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